## PATENT APPLICATION

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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For: ROBOT JOINT STRUCTURE

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 21, 2005

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

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Remarks are submitted on page 6.